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Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER <u>The Hartford Area News</u>		2. DATE <u>9/27/06</u>
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE <u>Weekly</u>	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY <u>52</u>	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$ <u>26.50 / 32.00</u>
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers) <u>408 N. Main, Hartford, Minnehaha, SD 57033</u>		
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers) <u>PO Box 128, 210 W Main, Canistota, McCook, SD 57012</u>		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: <u>Matt Anderson</u>		
7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.)		
FULL NAME <u>Matt and Susan Anderson</u>		COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS <u>223 N. 7th Ave Canistota SD 57012</u>
8. KNOWN BONDHOLDERS, MORTGAGES, AND OTHER SECURITY HOLDERS OWNING OR HOLDING 1 PERCENT OR MORE OF TOTAL AMOUNT OF BONDS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITIES (If there are none, so state. If more space is needed, list on back of this form.) <u>Wendell and Betty Anderson 210 W Main, Apt 1N Canistota SD 57012</u>		
9. EXTENT AND NATURE OF CIRCULATION	AVERAGE NO. COPIES EACH ISSUED PRECEDING 12 MONTHS	ACTUAL NO. COPIES ISSUED NEAREST TO FILING DATE
A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)	<u>600</u>	<u>600</u>
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION		
1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales.	<u>94</u>	<u>94</u>
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)	<u>459</u>	<u>452</u>
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)	<u>553</u>	<u>546</u>
D. FREE DISTRIBUTION		
1. BY MAIL, CARRIER OR OTHER MEANS		
2. SAMPLES, COMPLIMENTARY AND OTHER FREE COPIES		
E. TOTAL DISTRIBUTION (Sum of C, D1 and D2)	<u>553</u>	<u>546</u>
F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED		
1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing	<u>47</u>	<u>54</u>
2. Return from News Agents		
G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and F2 - Should equal net press run shown in A)	<u>600</u>	<u>600</u>

Statement must be signed by Publisher, Business Manager, or Owner in the presence of a Notary Public
I swear that the statements made by me are true, correct, and complete:

Matt Anderson
(Signature)

owner / Editor / Publisher
(Title)

Sworn to before me this 29 day of September, 2006

Donna M. Diede
Notary Public

My commission expires: 2-2-2010

